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Sir:

Enclosed herewith are the necessary papers for filing the following application for
Letters Patent:

Applicant : KLAUS BARTELMUSS ET AL.

Title : SUPPORTING AND WIPING DEVICE FOR MACHINE WIRE
SYSTEMS

5 sheets of drawings.

The payment in the amount of \$385.00 covering the filing fee. Applicant is entitled to
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Claim for Priority. Certified copy of the corresponding foreign patent application
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